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**APPLICATION FOR UNIQUE MAJOR STATUS**

***NOTE: This form is not required if you are attending a Maryland institution***

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Social Security Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of College: \_\_\_\_\_

Location of College: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address

City/State

Zip

Name of Degree: (i.e. – BS, BA, MS, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_ Academic Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Major: \_\_\_\_\_

**Attach the following documentation to this application before mailing:**

1. Academic program description listing all required courses for the unique major,
2. Detailed description of each course listed in the program,
3. Documentation from the U.S. Dept. of Education that the institution is accredited  
(Use the following link: <http://ope.ed.gov/accreditation>)

Send application and supporting documents to: Unique Majors

**Incomplete applications will be returned**

Maryland Higher Education Commission  
Office of Student Financial Assistance  
6 N. Liberty Street, Ground Suite  
Baltimore, MD 21201

**\*\*the student is responsible for contacting the Senator and Delegate from his or her legislative district to request consideration of a legislative scholarship.**

*Your application will be reviewed and a letter outlining the decision will be mailed to you and your Senator and Delegates. If your program has been determined to be unique your college will be required to verify your enrollment in the approved program at the beginning of each academic term. Failure to remain in the approved unique major or approved institution will result in the cancellation of your award.*

**PLEASE ALLOW UP TO 8 WEEKS FOR REVIEW OF YOUR UNIQUE MAJOR**